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Title: WATER-BASED INKS FOR INKJET PRINTERS  
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**APPLICATION FOR WITHDRAWAL  
OF ATTORNEYS AND AGENTS OF RECORD**

Dear Director:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.36, the patent practitioners identified below, respectfully request that the Director approve this application for withdrawal as the attorney or agent of record for the above-identified patent application:

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We, the patent practitioners identified above, submit

1.) The Applicant has requested that the responsibility for prosecuting the application be transferred to Mr. Anthony M. Zupcic, at Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto, with address at 30 W Rockefeller Plaza, New York, New York 10112; and

2.) There currently are no outstanding deadlines for this application.

Should there be any matters regarding this request that need to be resolved; the Director is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number below.

Respectfully submitted,

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